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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**EXAMINING GROUP 1617**

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 69273-0009

RCE/AF  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Elliot FARBER

Application No 09/758,781

Filed: January 11, 2001

For: ALLANTOIN-CONTAINING SKIN CREAM

Art Unit: 1617

Examiner: S. Sharareh

Confirmation No.: 1721

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. The required submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☐ Was previously submitted

i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on December 23, 2002

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on

iii. ☐ Other

b. ☒ Is enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment After Final Rejection Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

ii. ☐ Affidavit Under 37 CFR § 1.132

iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. ☒ Other: Form PTO-1449; Cited References (14)

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in

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37 C.F.R. §1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

2.                      Total Months                      Fee for  
                                 Requested                      Extension
- |                                       |           |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> one month    | \$ 55.00  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> two months   | \$ 205.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three months | \$ 465.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> four months  | \$ 725.00 |

3.      **Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)**

CLAIMS FOR FEE CALCULATION				
	Number as Previously Filed	Number Extra	at Rate of	Fee
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	3 - 20 =	0	\$ 18.00 each =	+\$ 0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	1 - 3 =	0	\$ 84.00 each =	+\$ 0.00
SUB-TOTAL =				\$ 0.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by a small entity				-\$ 0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE =				\$ 0.00

4.      **Miscellaneous**

- a.      ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1,103(c) for a period of          months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
- b.      ☐ Other

5.      **Fees:**

The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a.      ☒ Check No. 11207 in the amount of \$ 385.00 is enclosed for the RCE fee.
- b.      ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-1349.

- i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) in the amount of  
\$  
ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)) in the amount of  
\$  
iii. ☐ Other

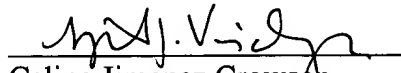
☒ **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1349. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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